JK Public School starts 14th Edition of JKMUN with enthusiasm



Glimpses of commencement of 14th Edition of JKMUN at JK Public School Kunjwani on Friday.

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JAMMU: JKMUN-2024 witnessed the congregation of the MUNers from the top notched CBSE schools to simulate the United Nations and discuss various agendas in multiple Committees.

More than 250 delegates from Jammu region and Udhampur are attending this three-day JKMUN, which is a dents, for the students, and by the students.

The inaugural ceremony of JK MUN started with full enthusiasm in the Nelsum Exquisite Millennium Hall of JK Public School, Kunjwani.

The Chief Guest on the occasion was prominent leader of Jammu, Sham Lal Sharma. The ceremony began with the lighting of sacred

Other dignitaries present on the occasion were Chairman JK Educational Society Raj Daluja, Director Shashi Choudhary, Principal Rajesh Rathore, Vice Principal Roopinder Kour and School

Coordinator Inderjeet Kour. Director JK Educational Society, Shashi Chaudhary extended a warm welcome to the distinguished invitees,

MUN enthusiasts. She highlighted the salient features of this debate format, which broadens the perception of participants and provide them with a creative platform to showcase their inherent as

well as acquired skills. It was followed by the School Song. The School Choir mesmerized everyone by singing a patriotic song in

ping dance by Pratiksha and her team cast a spell on the audience.

Amidst thunderous applause, the Chief Guest handed over the gavels to the Chairpersons of various Committees.

While addressing the gathering, Sham Lal Sharma invoked students to think big to achieve big in life. Later he

Chairman, JK Educational Society Raj Daluja. The Director General of JK

MUN, Saransh Kapoor gave the opening speech. Since it is a student-driven activity, all the students worked diligently to make it a successful event under the mentorship of the Principal Rajesh Rathore.

The 3-day MUN Session will witness rounds of vigordiplomacy across Committees and will conclude with a very elaborate prize giving ceremony.

The ceremony on first day of the session culminated with the address of the Secretary General, Adit Sharma, which was followed by the group photograph and National Anthem.

JKMUN is an effort that has been initiated by JK

Team JKPS Kunjwani secures runners-up trophy at Inter-

Zonal District Level Basketball Boys (U-14) Competitions

Public School Kunjwani to make the students aware of the fast-changing geo-politics, social and environmental sce-

Apart from debates, discussions and diplomacy, this platform is committed to provide an opportunity to the students from diverse cultural backgrounds to create lifecamaraderie

Four Triathletes participated in Ironman Vitoria Spain Triathlon

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JAMMU: Jammu Boys "Iron Tribe" has made an indelible mark on the global endurance sports arena with their formidable performance at the IRONMAN Vitoria-Gasteiz in Spain or 14th July.

This esteemed cohort, consisting of Aman Gupta, Archit Puri, Sawan Nagpal, and Sukaran Raj Sharma, exhibited unparalleled resolve and prowess in this prestigious international competition.

The Iron Tribe only registered Tri club in UT J&K and Leh undertook the full IRONMAN challenge, a grueling triathlon featuring a 3.8 km swim, a 180 km bike ride, and a 42.2 km marathon. The swim unfolded in the pristine

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Landa Lake, where the temperate waters proved ideal for wetsuits, ensuring an optimal aquatic performance.

Although Sawan Nagpal encountered a regrettable mishap during the cycling segment, impeding his completion of the event, the remaining Iron Tribe mem-

Heritagean Puneesh Puri shines at 7th

National Ranking Skating Championship

JAMMU: Puneesh Puri, a standout student from Heritage

School, has once again showcased his exceptional talent in

roller skating by clinching two gold medals and one bronze

at the 7th National Ranking Skating Championship held in

Raipur, Chhattisgarh. Competing in the under-14 category,

Puneesh secured gold in both the 1500m Road Race and the

1000m Rink Race, while also earning a bronze in the

500+D Rink Race. This prestigious championship, organ-

ized by the Chhattisgarh Roller Skating Association under

the aegis of the Roller Skating Federation of India, took

place from June 6 to 9, 2024. The event saw participation

from over 1200 skaters from all across India, making

Puneesh's achievements all the more remarkable. Puneesh

Puri's outstanding performance adds to his already impres-

sive tally of wins, further establishing him as a rising star in

the world of roller skating. His dedication, hard work, and

perseverance continue to bring pride to his school and com-

munity. The Heritage School fraternity extends its heartfelt

congratulations to Puneesh on his stupendous success and

wishes him good luck for his future endeavours.

bers showcased remarkable tenacity and teamwork.

Archit Puri highlighted the critical impact of this

The marathon segment, comprised of three loops totaling 42.2 km, was imbued with the fervent

local support, which significantly elevated the competitors' performance.

Rajan to visit Paris as technical observer

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administrator of J&K, Rajan

Sharma has become part of the technical team of Indian contingent and shall act as

events

technical observer in the Paris Olympics. Former Boxing coach and qualified international referee, Rajan has a long experience in officiating the national and international

including World

London

Olympics. Earlier, he accompanied the Indian team as manager with legend Marry Com in World Boxing championship in Russia and also attended Asian Games at Jakarta

Boxing Championship, SAF

and

(Indonesia). Meanwhile, president of J&K Olympic Association (JKOA), Dr Ashutosh Sharma blessed Rajan Sharma a successful visit to the Paris.

crowd. The Iron Tribe deeply appreciated the outstanding support from hydration stations and the rousing cheers from spectators, which greatly enriched

a premier attracting elite athletes from around the globe, IRONMAN Vitoria-Gasteiz showcased a high caliber of sportsmanship and excellence.

Looking forward, the Iron Tribe aspires to galvanize more individuals to pursue endurance sports, including ultra-cycling and ultramarathons. Their mission is to spotlight Jammu's sporting prowess and offer a platform for athletes to showcase their talents on the international stage.

In reflecting upon their

triumphs, the Iron Tribe extends profound gratitude to their families, friends, and supporters. The unwavering encouragement from their support network was instrumental in their sucess enitomizing the nowe of unity and community in achieving extraordinary accomplishments.

The triumph of the Jammu Boys' Iron Tribe at IRONMAN Vitoria-Gasteiz signifies a monumental milestone in their athletic odyssey and underscores Jammu as a nucleus of exceptional sporting talent.

Their dedication, perseverance, and unyielding spirit serve as an enduring inspiration to aspiring athletes globally, leaving an indelible impression on the international sporting

Reasi lady becomes first in J&K to qualify wrestling course

JAMMU: Anuradha Sharma of Pouni in district Reasi has become first lady wrestler to successfully qualify NIS wrestling

course (May June 2024)Netaji from Subhash National Institute of Sports Patiala under Sports Authority India (SAI).

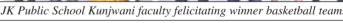
Anuradha with wrestling background had earlier contributed a lot in creating awareness among girls of district Reasi to adopt wrestling sports under 'Beti Ko Khiladi Banao' campaign. She qualified the theory and practical part with meritorious scores and got much applaud from

Sharma Director Academics SAI NS NIS Patiala.

"Anuradha is a role model for all women who are desirous pursue

> sports qualification for the welfare and promotion of w o m e n wrestling across UT of J&K and definitely budding girl wrestlers

will get an opportunity to be trained qualified woman wrestling coach who will excel in wrestling sport at varied levels", said Shiv Kumar Sharma former Joint Secretary of J&K Sports Council (JKSC) and President of Jammu Kashmir Indian Style Wrestling Association.



JAMMU: It is with great pride that the JK Public School Basketball Team has achieved remarkable success by securing the Runners-Up Trophy in the Inter-Zonal District Level Basketball Shashi Boys (U-14) Competitions

Satwari Zone. Thewinners include Vedant Gupta, Saksham Kanav Mehra, Gupta, Zabariya Rabban, Ansh

Billowaria, Manan Mahajan

held on 23 and 24 July 2024

at MA Stadium Jammu.

The team played under the

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and Nischay Verma. Team JKPS displayed out-

standing skill, teamwork and sportsmanship throughout the tournament and secured a well-deserved position as runners-up. Chaudhary,

Director JK Educational Society and School Principal Rajesh Rathore congratulated the entire team for their commendable performance. They also lauded the School Coach Manoj Solanki and Subash Chander (HOD (Sports) for their relentless efforts in training and

preparing the players for the

event.

Speaking on the occasion, Principal Rajesh Rathore said that this achievement not only highlights the athletic prowess of our students but also reinforces JK Public School's commitment to promoting sports and extracurricular activities. We at JKPS Kunjwani believe that participation in sports plays a crucial role in the holistic development of our students, fostering teamwork, discipline and

J&K Wushu team reaches **Junior National venue**



J&K Wushu team posing for a photograph with dignitaries.

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JAMMU: The 45-member J&K Wushu team reached Coimbatore to compete in the 23rd Junior National Wushu Championship to be held at KPR College of Engineering

Technology. The team was screened by

the J&K Sports Council (JKSC) soon after the 15day long coaching camp concluded. Appu Jamwal and Kanav are accompanying the team as coaches.

Pertinent to mention here that in the previous edition J&K Wushu Junior team remained overall third.

Meanwhile, president of the Wushu Association of J&K, Vijay Saraf; general secretary, Bhavneet and other office bearers of the Association wished success to the athletes. Kuldeep Handoo (Dronacharya Awardee) thanked JKSC for the support.